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Week ended November 21. No quarantinable diseases. Vessels inspected and granted bills of health, 4. Aliens examined for Honolulu and Pacific coast ports, 21. Aliens examined for Philippine Islands, 43; rejected, 10.

Week ended November 28. Restrictions enforced against Hongkong by Ceylon and Niuchwang have been withdrawn. No quarantinable diseases. Vessels inspected and granted bills of health, 10. No aliens examined for Honolulu and Pacific coast ports. Aliens examined for Philippine Islands, 26; rejected, 4.

Week ended December 5. Restrictions enforced against Hongkong remain as reported on October 17 and November 28. No quarantinable diseases. Vessels inspected and granted bills of health, 8. Aliens examined for Honolulu and Pacific coast ports, 404; rejected, 55. Aliens examined for Philippine Islands, 26; rejected, 13.

*Report from Shanghai—Inspection and disinfection of vessels—Smallpox on U. S. Army transport Seward.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ransom reports, December 16:

During the week ended December 12, 1 original and 3 supplemental bills of health were issued to 4 steamships, having an aggregate personnel of 822. Two vessels and 84 members of crews were inspected during the week, and the remaining 2 vessels were inspected December 13, having been delayed by bad weather. There were inspected altogether 226 members of crews and 3 steerage passengers. The forecabin of one vessel was disinfected. Seventy-two Asiatic members of crew were bathed. Their effects were disinfected by steam. Manifests were viséed for 32,975 pieces of freight. Twenty pieces of human hair from the interior were rejected on the manifest. Properly authenticated certificates as to the packing of these 20 cases of hair were subsequently received, and an additional manifest was countersigned for them.

Numerous inspections were made during the week of cargo in the process of packing for shipment to the United States.

The weekly report of the municipal health department shows that there were reported among foreigners 2 new cases of smallpox.

The 2 cases of smallpox reported occurred among the crew of the U. S. Army transport *Seward*, now undergoing repairs at this port. The surgeon of the vessel reports that he immediately vaccinated the entire crew, and that he is keeping them under observation, the cases having been removed to the isolation hospital. Necessary steps will be taken by this office to secure proper disinfection of the vessel and her personnel before her departure for Manila.

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*Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Sanitary conditions.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Ames reports, January 19:

*Week ended January 16.*

Vessels inspected.....	21
Bills of health issued.....	24
Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	1,100
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	556